

The Bloomfield Times.

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FARM AND HOUSEHOLD ITEMS

We invite communications from all persons who are interested in matters properly belonging to this department.

Uses of Buckwheat.

The name buckwheat is derived from the German "Buchweizen" (Beech-wheat), from the resemblance of the seed to beech-mast. It belongs to a family of knot-weeds, of which there are numerous species in the United States.

There is a close resemblance in the composition of buckwheat and rye. In the grain of buckwheat there is twenty-seven per cent of husk. The seventy-three per cent of flour closely resembles that of rye in color and properties, and the amount and composition of the ash of both plants are nearly identical when they are grown in similar soil.

Buckwheat is extensively used as food for man and live stock, and is decidedly nutritious. In the States of New York and Pennsylvania it is considered the best fattening food for sheep. The unground grain and fresh straw produce a singular effect upon swine, causing cutaneous eruptions of the skin, and dizziness which sometimes ends in death.

Although buckwheat flour is seldom used in the United States except for making hot cakes in winter, it is employed in a variety of ways in Europe. In Italy and Holland crumpets are made of it which is eaten with butter or sugar. It is also used in these countries with water or milk for hasty pudding.

Electric Railway Whistles.

The French have lately introduced a system by which a stationary electric battery is made subservient to blow the whistle of an approaching locomotive, in case the road is not clear, without the engineer having to give any attention to it. Such an arrangement is, of course, exceedingly valuable at night, and especially during a fog, when signals cannot be seen at a distance.

The Simple Secret.

Twenty clerks in a store, twenty hands in a printing office, twenty apprentices in a ship yard, twenty young men in a village—all want to get on in the world, and expect to do so. One of the clerks will become a partner, and make a fortune, one of the compositors will own a newspaper, and become an influential citizen; one of the apprentices will become a master builder; one of the young villagers will get a handsome farm, and live like a patriarch—but which one is the lucky individual? Lucky! There is no luck about it. The thing is almost as certain as the rule of three.



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Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Headache, Pain in the Shoulders, Coughs, Tightness of the Chest, Dizziness, Sour Eructations of the Stomach, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Bilious Attacks, Palpitation of the Heart, Inflammation of the Lungs, Pain in the region of the Kidneys, and a hundred other painful symptoms, are the offsprings of Dyspepsia. One bottle will prove a better guarantee of its merits than a lengthy advertisement.

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ROSS HENCH.

August 11, 11.

Assignee's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Harrison Kulp and Margaret his wife, of Wheatfield twp., Perry County, have executed a deed of voluntary assignment to the undersigned, residing in same place for the benefit of the creditors of said Harrison Kulp. All persons having claims against said assignee, will please make immediate payments and those having claims will please present the same.

SOLOMON BIGHAM, Assignee. LEWIS POTTER, Attorney for Assignee. November 3, 1874.

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